King Grocery Warehouse to

Be Rebuilt at Once.

FIRE LOSS NEARLY \$200,000

Firemen Worked Thirteen Hours to Subdue Blaze Which Began Early Sunday Morning.

Special Correspondence of The Star. ALEXANDRIA, Va., October 19 .- The work of rebuilding the big warehouse of Charles King & Son Company, incorporated, at the southeast corner of Lee and Queen streets, which was de stroyed by fire early yesterday morn ing, will be begun just as soon as the fire insurance officials adjust the loss It was 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon when the three city fire engines work, and today two plug streams are throwing water on the smoldering ruins. The Firefighter of Washington did not cease work on the fire until after 7 o'clock Sunday morning. Afterward the Washington firemen were given breakfast and they re-

Frank T. King, head of the firm, estimates that the loss to stock and building will be between \$175,000 and \$200,000, of which amount \$169,000 is on \$200.000, of which amount \$160,000 is on stock. This loss is only partially covered by insurance. The four brick walls of the immense warehouse are all that are left standing, and they are badly damaged.

The local firemen worked exactly thirteen hours on the fire. This is the longest record for an individual fire in recent years.

King & Son resumed business from their main building this morning as

St. Rita's Church Dedicated.

In the presence of a congregation which filled the church to its capacity, meluding many from this city, St. Rita's Catholic Church, at Mount Ida, Alexandria county, was dedicated yesterday morning by Rt. Rev. D. J. O'Con-

mend.

The bishop made a short address, in which he congratulated the members of the congregation on their zeal, and added that he felt satisfied that the church would meet with success. The alter was decorated with white chrysanthemums and looked very attractive.

ediately following the dedicatory Immediately following the dedicatory services, mass was celebrated, Rev. H. J. Cutler, pastor of St. Mary's Church, this city, being the celebrant, with Rev. L. F. Kelly, also of this city, as master of ceremonies. A sermon was preached by Rev. T. J. Delihant of Loyola College, Baltimore, he taking for his subject "The Promised Land." Others at the altar were Bishop O'Connell and Rev. Timothy Bresnahan, Loyola College, Baltimore.

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W. B. Becker was director of the altar boys. Joseph Lash served as cross-bearer, and George Keegan, jr., and Littleton Page were candle-bearers, while William De Vaughan and John Igoe were the bishop's attendants. Members of Fitzgerald Council, No. 459, Knights of Columbus, attended in a body.

Firemen to Hold Banquet.

The Relief Hook and Ladder Company has issued invitations for a banquet to be served at its house at 8 o'clock Thursday night, in observance of the formal opening of its new fire engine

Members of the city council, officers of the two other fire companies and various city officials are expected to attend. Covers will be laid for 125 guests. J. H. Trimyer, president of the company, will act as toastmaster, and speeches will be made by a number of city officials.

Post F. Travelers' Protective Association, is arranging for what will be known as a "get-together" banquet, to be given the latter part of next month. A number of prominent speakers will

be given the latter part of next month. A number of prominent speakers will be invited to address the gathering. Both time and place for the affair are yet to be determined upon. A committee, composed of J. William May, R. L. Payne, S. W. Pitts, O. H. Kirk and H. L. Reed, has been appointed to arrange for the banquet.

The circuit court for Alexandria county, Judge J. R. T. Thornton presents.

The circuit court for Alexandria county, Judge J. B. T. Thornton presiding, convened this morning, when a number of criminal cases were presented to the grand jury for its considera-

Revivalist Changes Churches.

Evangelist Lee Starke will begin revival services tonight in the M. E. Church South, having concluded a week's serv-ices in Trinity M. E. Church last night, when he preached to a large congregation. Rev. Mr. Starke also addressed a men's meeting yesterday, while Rev. Dr. J. W. Duffey, pastor of the M. E. Church South, addressed a women's meeting. Charged with stealing two pistols and \$4 from the home of Rosie Ward, colored, Kossuh Williams, colored, was in the police court today sentenced to the reform school, where he will be kept until he reaches his majority. Williams denied the charge, although he had one of the pistols, it was claimed, in his possession.

Elmore Mudd and T. E. Mijls of Belle Haven Council and S. A. Forrest, J. F. Petty and R. L. Merchant of Jackson Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, have gone to Roanoke, Va. to attend the state convention of that organisation. tion. Rev. Mr. Starke also addressed s

organisation.

The corporation court, Judge L. C. Barley presiding, will be in session to-

Barley presiding, will be in session to-morrow morning, when one criminal case is slated for trial. Four speakers from the Central Trades Union, Washington, will deliver talks tonight before the Alexandria Trades Council at an open meeting to all union men, which will be held in its hall over the Alexandria National Bank building.

SERMON ON LIFE'S PROBLEMS.

Rev. J. S. Montgomery Discusses

\$75-a-Month Salaries. "We may take the many problems of life that confront men, and we may juggle them up and juggle them down," declared Rev. James Shera Montgomery, in his sermon last night at Metrepolitan Methodist Church, "and at the last we shall find that 'self-preservation two great problems of life are, 'What shall I eat?' and 'Where shall I stay?' two great problems of life are, 'What shall I eat?' and 'Where shall I stay?'

"I wish that Almighty God had made it a little easier for man to go to heaven than for him to go to heaven than for him to go to hell," he continued. "It is unfitting for a minister to condemn money making or even money chasing so long as the vital problem of daily life is how to make ends meet while he himself draws a livable salary and before him each Sunday there are the upturned faces of fifty and seventy-five-dollar-a-month men from whom society and state expect so much. May I ask how much integrity and honor should be expected of a husband and father whe pays reat and supports a family ef school children on such meager wage?

"Here is the tragedy of the dellar, though: It is still the 'angel of light' in the court and congress of this world. Often it is like a blinding tear blotting out everything before it. It is Judas preaching the gospel of peace when there is no peace—it is over and over again the device of Satan turning the thoughts of men away from the sacramental bread of a good, unselfish life."

Repays to read the want columns of the Bist. Hundreds of situations are the called and a number of situations are to be submitted to the association.

ALEXANDRIA AFFAIRS FEW VACANT SEATS AT SOCIETY CIRCUS

Red Cross Benefit Has Auspicious Opening This Afternoon at Convention Hall.

DISTRICT HEADS ENLIST IN THE BOOSTER BRIGADE

Members of Congress Special Patrons Tonight-Special Patronage Days Are Announced.

District officials joined the society circus fans today. They became lead-ers in boosting this Red Cross benefit, which opened today and which is to have a run of one week at Convention Hall, as a means of increasing the Red PLANTS AND FLOWERS Cross war relief funds.

The District Commissioners put their stamp of approval on the patronage of the circus by fixing Friday evening as District government night, stating that they would occupy a pox to show their personal interest in the cause.

"It's a very worthy effort," said Oliver P. Newman, president of the District board, today, "and we are glad to en-

board, today, "and we are glad to encourage it by our presence."

The "society circus" had an auspicious
start for the week's run when the big
amphitheater of Convention Hall was
alled at the first show this afternoon.

There were few vacant seats.

The big hall had been decorated with
more than 100 large American flags
and bunting, with a big ked Cross emblem spread out against the south end
catching the eye of patrons as they
entered the hall.

Members of Congress to Boom Show.

From Ollie James, physically the biggest man in the United States Senate all the way through to Representative J. Hampton Moore, the smallest man in stature in the House, members of Congress are planning to make tonight's performance—Congress night—a good send-off, one that will boom this bene-

send-off, one that will boom this benetit production, encouraging every one
in Washington to patronize it.

Not only will many members of Congress occupy boxes, but the pages of
both House and Senate are to be there
through the kindness of Speaker Clark
and Senator J. Hamilton Lewis. Members of the press gallery and other
Capitol workers will also be among the
spectators. Most of the active members of the National Press Club have
taken tickets for Congress night.

Two Thousand Seats Reserved.

Heavy attendance at the premier per formance, the matinee today, was proa reservation for 2,000 seats, which they distributed to customers this morning distributed to customers this morning. There has been such eagerness shown to have certain performances designated as special patronage days that the management found itself unable to comply, and every evening and several of the matinees have had to be divided between two organized patrons. As far as possible seats have been alloted on opposite sides of the big amphitheater when there has been such division of the reservations.

The schedule of these arrangements is as follows:

Monday matinee, Palais Royal patrons; Monday evening, Congress and its following.

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Tuesday matinee, street rallway employes. This army of workers are greatly in sympathy with the Red Cross benefit and not only by the posters on the front of the cars all this week, but by personal reminders to the hundreds riding on the cars each day they are doing all they can to advertise the big circus benefit.

Red Cross Officials to Attend.

Tuesday evening, Red Cross and civil service night. Officials of the Red Cross are to attend, showing their inpopulation is made up in large numbers of government employes, and Tuesday is their night.

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Wednesday matinee, Maryland and Virginia, and stenographers. Alexandria is to send a large patronage. When a delegation of stenographers told the management that there are more stenographers in Washington than any other city in the country, it was promptly decided to give them public recognition.

Wednesday evening employes of the navy yard and of the government printing office are to divide the honors.

Thursday matinee has been designated for "college girls."

Society and the Diplomats.

Thursday evening is "society and dipomats' night." As this production is strictly neutral, representatives from each of the embassies and legations are

expected to attend.

Friday matinee has the patronage of the clubwomen.

Friday evening has been set apart at the solicitation of Georgetown students. The District government will also lend its encouragement, and the Commissioners are expected to occupy one of the front boxes. Members of the Chamber of Commerce, Board of Trade and the Retail Merchants' Association have promised to be well represented. Saturday matinee is for school childere.

Saturday night is the "grand finale." Special patronage for this night has en extended the District National Guard and the bureau of engraving and

printing employes.

The entire profits from all the performances have been pldeged to the Red Cross fund, of which Howard S. Reeside is treasurer.

AVIATOR THRILLS VAST CROWD

De Lloyd Thompson Entertains With Aerial Feats in Potomac Park.

All sorts of vehicles, including shanks mare," carried spectators to the old polo field in Potomac Park yesterday afternoon to witness an avia-tion exhibit by De Lloyd Thompson, That the sight of an aeroplane is still size and the enthusiasm of the crowd.

KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESES-Clarice Was Mistaken!







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IN BEAUTIFUL ARRAY

Fairfax County Exhibit at Falls Church, Va .- List of the Prize Winners.

What was said to have been the largest and most beautiful flower show dren, Edward Rullman, William Rullman and John Demarest. ever seen in Fairfax county, Va., was held at Falls Church Saturday afternoon and evening. Premiums were awarded as follows, the first, second and third places being given in the Junior Society of Georgetown Law order in which the names appear:

Finest display of plants and flowers Mrs. H. N. Luttrell, Miss Reid and Mrs. Walter T. Westcott; finest display of plants, Miss Reid and Mrs. Charles B. Quick; best display of dahlias, Mrs. Walter T. Westcott, W. H. Erwin and Mrs. Hughes; best specimen of show dahlia, Mrs. Westcott, winner in each class; peony flowering dahlias, Mrs. George T. Manten and Mr. Hughes: ompon dahlia, Walter H. Erwin and Vanderbilt Quick; decorative dahlas, Mrs. Westcott and Dr. George T. Manten; cactus flower dahlia, Mrs. Westcott, Mrs. J. A. Rullman and Mrs. E. L. McNair; single dahlia, Mrs. M. M. Erwin and Mrs. George B. Fadeley; finest red dahlias, M. M. Erin, Mrs. Westcott and Dr. Manten.

Roses—Best display of roses, Mrs. John Bethune, Mrs. T. M. Talbott and Mrs. C. A. Marshall; pink roses, Mrs. Talbott and Mrs. Bethune: red roses. Mrs. F. L. Bird and Mrs. Talbott; white roses, Mrs. S. R. Coppe, Mrs. Bethune and Mrs. Bird; yellow roses, Mrs. Mar-

shown above. The business grew!

caffeine and tannin.

row.
Asparagus fern-Mrs. A. H. Barber,
Mrs. Quick and Mrs. George W. Hawxhurst.

Specimen potted plants-First two awards, Mrs. Quick and Mr. Erwin. Lemon trees-Mr. Erwin and Mrs.

Marshall. Rhodes), largest exhibit of cut flowers.

DEBATERS WILL MEET.

School to Name Committees.

The Junior Debating Society of Georgetown Law School will meet Friday evening to select committees on son, H. Cohen, I. Weissenberg, M. Kordebates. A committee is to be selected on which will devolve the duty of Mostow. choosing the subjects to be debated choosing the subjects to be debut throughout the year. Another committee will have charge of intersociety and others. Rabbi Silverstone dwelt on debates, and a third committee will manage the intercollegiate debates. Arrangements already are in progress for a debate with Cornell Uni-

FINE OF \$100 IMPOSED.

Penalty Incurred by Milton Burridge, Convicted of Assault. Milton Burridge was sentenced to pay

coquan in default today in the Police Court by Judge Mullowny, upon conviction on a charge of assault. Mrs. Eula Sauyer of 1626 8th street shall and Mrs. H. E. Mott; for best sinngle yellow rose specimen, Mrs. H. E.
Mott; for best single white rose, Mrs.
Bethune; for best single red rose, Mrs.
Bethune:
Chrysanthemums—White, all three awards to Miss Estella Birch; pink, Mrs. Frank Birch and Mrs. G. T. Manten; best display of chrysanthemums, Mrs. Bird and Mrs. Luttrell.
Scarlet sage—Mrs. George B. Fadeley received all three awards.
Asters—Mrs. Joseph R. Royson received all three awards.
Cosmos—White, Mrs. Manten, Mrs. J.
B. Daughton and Mrs. H. Demerest; ping, Mrs. Westcott, Mrs. Daughton and Mrs. P. Smythe; red, all awards to Mrs.
Mowat.
Cannas—All awards to Mrs. Bethune.

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Cannas—All awards to Mrs. Bethune. northwest testified that Burridge was

Mowat.

Capnas—All awards to Mrs. Bethune.
Nasturtium—Mr. Skinner, Mrs. Fadeley and Edward Rullman.
Coleus—Miss Mattie Doul and Mrs.
Robert Harmon.
Boston ferns—Mrs. Quick, Mrs.

The Decreased Consumption of

Coffee has caused widespread

alarm among the coffee trade.

"There's a Reason"

Doctors found that coffee drinking was hurting the health of people, right and left.

Chemists analyzed coffee and found this harm was due to two health-wrecking drugs.

POSTUM

Twenty great factory buildings covering nearly ten acres now surround the little build-

Each cup of coffee carries its dose of caffeine and tannin (about 21/2 grains of each)

Postum, a pure food drink with a rich Java-like flavor, is made of prime wheat and a small per cent of molasses, absolutely free from caffeine, tannin or any other harmful

"There's a Reason" for POSTUM

-sold by Grocers everywhere.

ing where Postum was first made, and carloads of this wholesome food-drink are shipped

and sooner or later symptoms of poisoning show themselves in headache, biliousness, heart

People injured by coffee stopped its use and started to drink

daily to take the place of coffee on the tables of hundred of thousands.

Relief generally follows when one quits coffee and uses POSTUM.

disturbance, nervousness, indigestion, sleeplessness, etc.

Special prizes (given by Miss Ada | Home for the Aged on M Street Northwest Formally Dedicated to Use.

> The new Hebrew Home for the Aged. 415 M street northwest, was opened to the public yesterday. Among those on the platform in the afternoon were Bernard Danzansky, president of the home; Simon Wolf, Dr. Abram Simon, Rabbi G.

Short addresses were made by Mr. the debt which the younger generations owed to those who had watched over them since childhood and were now too old and infirm to take a further part in a fairs. He counseled his hearers to venerate their elders and to signify their appreciation of all that had been done for them by making easy the remaining days of these lives.

Small Balance Due on Property.

The home as it stands, it was an nounced, represents an outlay of \$16,000 and is the contribution of Washington's a fine of \$100 or serve 120 days at Oc-Hebrew population. It was announced ture, leaving a balance of \$1,000 to be paid. A bazaar, opened yesterday, is expected to result in raising sufficient money to wipe out this indebtedness. The money to wipe out this indebtedness. The bazaar is to continue three days, during which time the new home is to be open to inspection by the general public.

Those in charge of the affair, all members of the Ladies' Auxiliary committee, are Mrs. Ida Weissenberg, Mrs. Shesrs, Mrs. Yudelvit, Mrs. Danzansky, Mrs. Klapatch, Mrs. Lichtenberg and Mrs. Reichsut.

LIGHTHOUSE TUMBLES DOWN.

Century-Old Tower at Bodkin Point

Vanquished by Storm. a result of the mid-week easterly gale and high water on Chesapeake bay, the old lighthouse tower on Bodkin point, for nearly a century guide to navigators entering the Pa

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tapsco, succumbed to the wash of the waves and tumbled into the bay.

Though small use to heavy draft vessels, the old tower was used as a day mark by small craft up to the time of its fall. The tower dates back to 1820, when a deed covering twenty acres was made to the United States government by Henry Dunbar and Richard Caton.

According to these old documents, which are in possession of the light-house authorities, the exact date when

Discourses on "Noted Women of the Bible" were inaugurated yesterday by Rev. J. W. Baldwin, paster of Georgetown Methodist Protestant Church, when he spoke on "Esther."

tic, Conn., cemetery contains 682 letters and figures, the whole inscription con-

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Close at 5:30 P.M. Open at 8:45 A.M. AT GOLDENBERG'S" IT PAYS TO DEAL 'THE DEPENDABLE STORE'

Opening Week Specials From Our New Furniture Dept.

While prices are sensationally low, quality has not been lessened one whit. These specials offered for Tuesday from our new Furniture Department to emphasize the underselling policy that rules in our new department-"across the street."



We have prepared for a great sale of these Brass Beds, confident that the demand will be enormous, for no housewife who sees them can fail to realize the ex-

no housewife who sees them can fail to realize the extraordinary value.

One-inch fillers and 2-inch post, cast brass ball ends and T-ball joints. The brass tubing is warranted with an English lacquer that will last indefinitely. Choice of three finishes—bright, satin or polished.

Cannot be equaled anywhere for less than \$24.00. Special for this sale, \$11.90.

\$12.50 Couch for \$6.95

Solid Oak Buffet \$45.00 Value at \$29.50

Chair for

value at \$1.45.



This \$3.98 Golden Oak Kocker Extraordinary Value,

One Day Only. Golden Oak Rocker, highly polished and strongly con-structed. One of

No mail or phone orders filled.

Magazine Rack

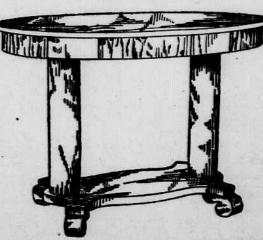
89c Heavy Magazine Rack, in mis-sion design, fumed oak finish; very solid and strong; just the thing for the library or living



Genuine Brass Costumer, as illustrated, with massive 2-inch post, strongly braced legs, with husk, and heavy hooks. One of the handsomest designs ever shown at the regular price. Positively worth \$4.85. Sale price, \$1.95.

No mail or phone orders filled. Limit—one to each buyer.

\$24 Mahogany Library Table For \$12.85



Leather Couch, large and comstatuentallation fortable; with solid oak frame. Actual \$12.50 value at \$6.95. Twenty years ago the manufacture of Postum was started in the small white building



Solid Oak Buffet, with French plate mirror, lined silver drawer; handsome colonial design.

\$3.00 Dining Room

One Day Only Solid Oak Full Box-seat Dining Room Chair, reinforced with all square stretchers. A wonderful